



COST SHARE AGREEMENT
Between the
MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
EASTERN LAND OFFICE
And the
DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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This cost share agreement is between the agencies identified above, as negotiated for the following incident in accordance with the Statewide Cooperative Fire Protection Agreement #11-FI-110156000-006 executed between the parties on (8/25/2011). The purpose of this agreement is to provide for a coordinated cooperative fire suppression operation on this fire and to describe the cost division.

General Incident Information:

Incident Name: Rosebud Complex
Incident Start Date and Time: August 1, 2012
Origin:
Location: Latitude: 46°9'41"DMS Longitude: 106°12'40" DMS
Estimated Size: Acres at the time of this agreement: 171,420
Incident Cause: Lightning

Incident Numbers by Protection Agency:

Agency	Incident #	Accounting Code
Montana DNRC	MT-EAS-000007	842019
BIA	MT-EAS-000007	G4GD

Cost Share Period: This agreement becomes effective on the date indicated below and will remain in effect until amended or terminated.

State date/time: 8/1/2012, 1445

End date/time: 8/14/2012, 1800



Individual fires incorporated into the Rosebud Complex are listed below:

Incident	Start Date & Time	Latitude & Longitude	Incident Number	Fire code
Chalky	8/1/12 @ 1154	45°44'18" x 106°50'24"	MT-MCD-115	Fed.: G4HC State: 842027
Juniper	8/1/12 @ 0415	46°07'43" x 106°25'37"	MT-MCD-108	Fed.: G4EQ State: 842023
Mitchell	8/1/12 @ 0943	46°03'28" x 106°24'23"	MT-MCD-111	Fed.: G4F5 State: 842024
Beaver	8/1/12 @ 0914	46° 02'29" x 106°13'59"	MT-MCD-114	Fed.: G4GU State: 842026
Sweeney	8/1/12 @ 2230	46°10'28" x 106°13'32"	MT-MCD-117	Fed.: G4MP
Big John	8/1/12 @ 1224	45°51'14" x 106°08'36"	MT-MCD-116	Fed.: G4HG State: 842021
Sand Creek	7/31/12 @ 2325	45°52'12" x 106°21'15"	MT-MCD-106	Fed.: G4EN State: 842022
East	8/1/12 @ 0946	46°05'03" x 106°25'14"	MT-MCD-112	Fed.: G4GA State: 842025

Other conditions relative to this agreement:

1. Costs incurred by cooperators not engaged with the host agency or IMT in the fire suppression activities will not be included as a part of this cost share agreement.
2. Responsibility for tort claim costs will not be a part of this agreement. Responsibility for these costs will be determined outside this agreement.
3. Costs for accountable, sensitive, and durable property purchased by each agency will be charged directly to that agency and will not be shared.
4. Non-suppression rehabilitation costs are the responsibility of the jurisdictional agency and will not be shared.
5. Each agency will bill for their costs as outlined in the MONTANA COOPERATIVE FIRE MANAGEMENT and STAFFORD ACT RESPONSE AGREEMENT #11-FI-110156000-006 executed between the parties on (8/25/2011) billing procedures.

Cost Share Methodology:

The cost share will be based on a percentage of protection responsibility acres within the area defined by the final fire boundary on the date the fire is declared out. The costs to be shared include all costs associated with the management of the incident, including structure protection. The decision was made to use the actual acreage burned in each agency's protection responsibility because of equal effort expended on all areas of the incident.



Final Agency Apportionment:

1. Federal Share:

a.	BIA	8%
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2. State Share :

a.	MT	92%
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The state will bear the cost of lands protected by the Bureau of Land Management Miles City Field Office, Eastern Montana/Dakotas District (BLM) within the boundaries of the Rosebud Complex. These lands amount to less than 3% of the total complex acreage. Given this, and the fact that the BLM assumed 100% of the cost of the Taylor Creek Fire where the state had less than 3% of the protection responsibility, it was determined that this would be an equitable assumption of cost by the state.

Principal Contacts:

The following personnel are the principal contacts:

Title:	Name:	Agency:
Agency Administrator	Chris Pileski	MT DNRC
Agency Administrator	Norma Gourneau	BIA
Incident Business Advisor(s)	Sue Clark	MT DNRC
Incident Commander(s)	Stan Benes	BLM



Signatures of Authorized Personnel & Attachments:

This agreement and the apportionment described are our best judgments of fair and equitable agency cost responsibilities.

Attachments:

Cost Share Map

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